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State Motor Vehicle License Tax Distributed to Local Jurisdictions in 2020

July 2022

County	County License Revenue	Municipal License Revenue	Township License Revenue	Total License Revenue
Adams	\$1,219,155	\$63,129	\$147,222	\$1,429,506
Allen	\$2,435,765	\$357,069	\$211,672	\$3,004,506
Ashland	\$1,811,833	\$235,832	\$156,184	\$2,203,849
Ashtabula	\$2,314,933	\$315,023	\$242,877	\$2,872,833
Athens	\$1,365,358	\$104,276	\$206,723	\$1,676,358
Auglaize	\$1,638,957	\$303,067	\$123,158	\$2,065,182
Belmont	\$2,114,821	\$373,699	\$275,216	\$2,763,736
Brown	\$1,524,938	\$122,914	\$149,286	\$1,797,137
Butler	\$6,941,459	\$1,422,226	\$305,257	\$8,668,942
Carroll	\$1,295,218	\$81,266	\$160,531	\$1,537,014
Champaign	\$1,256,612	\$124,436	\$130,768	\$1,511,816
Clark	\$2,812,167	\$467,303	\$163,891	\$3,443,361
Clermont	\$4,383,736	\$173,429	\$262,386	\$4,819,551
Clinton	\$1,346,223	\$163,079	\$115,361	\$1,624,664
Columbiana	\$2,503,068	\$336,676	\$334,657	\$3,174,400
Coshocton	\$1,296,492	\$113,420	\$233,402	\$1,643,315
Crawford	\$1,198,631	\$190,835	\$169,135	\$1,558,602
Cuyahoga	\$11,968,208	\$8,165,958	\$8,712	\$20,142,878
Darke	\$2,492,192	\$317,653	\$207,829	\$3,017,674
Defiance	\$1,404,089	\$216,463	\$168,396	\$1,788,948

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Delaware	\$3,576,290	\$555,976	\$243,275	\$4,375,540
Erie	\$1,842,390	\$321,574	\$102,877	\$2,266,842
Fairfield	\$3,119,106	\$580,122	\$227,228	\$3,926,455
Fayette	\$1,158,228	\$104,597	\$78,843	\$1,341,667
Franklin	\$16,881,318	\$9,774,422	\$141,333	\$26,797,073
Fulton	\$1,710,077	\$200,345	\$147,779	\$2,058,201
Gallia	\$1,376,251	\$37,790	\$139,832	\$1,553,873
Geauga	\$2,671,366	\$137,094	\$222,294	\$3,030,754
Greene	\$2,726,672	\$847,799	\$138,333	\$3,712,804
Guernsey	\$1,593,762	\$132,852	\$229,107	\$1,955,720
Hamilton	\$13,322,341	\$4,243,236	\$245,823	\$17,811,399
Hancock	\$2,077,910	\$407,094	\$246,354	\$2,731,358
Hardin	\$1,214,149	\$115,940	\$137,943	\$1,468,032
Harrison	\$841,962	\$60,438	\$157,369	\$1,059,769
Henry	\$1,525,077	\$123,312	\$163,397	\$1,811,786
Highland	\$1,549,178	\$92,534	\$172,095	\$1,813,808
Hocking	\$1,023,516	\$64,765	\$153,479	\$1,241,760
Holmes	\$1,908,066	\$58,481	\$218,712	\$2,185,260
Huron	\$1,953,501	\$300,950	\$187,451	\$2,441,903
Jackson	\$1,186,568	\$115,064	\$146,244	\$1,447,876
Jefferson	\$1,639,857	\$264,773	\$168,705	\$2,073,335
Knox	\$2,010,431	\$154,969	\$236,142	\$2,401,543
Lake	\$3,143,891	\$1,200,081	\$84,367	\$4,428,339
Lawrence	\$1,686,384	\$158,183	\$143,107	\$1,987,674
Licking	\$3,848,835	\$825,647	\$288,643	\$4,963,124
Logan	\$1,604,401	\$187,198	\$133,363	\$1,924,962
Lorain	\$4,673,552	\$1,777,899	\$128,790	\$6,580,242
Lucas	\$5,826,467	\$2,265,684	\$155,713	\$8,247,863
Madison	\$1,436,912	\$163,086	\$47,995	\$1,647,994
Mahoning	\$5,832,708	\$775,783	\$204,788	\$6,813,279

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Marion	\$1,609,583	\$237,767	\$102,889	\$1,950,238
Medina	\$4,141,642	\$757,454	\$193,061	\$5,092,157
Meigs	\$990,206	\$45,983	\$190,989	\$1,227,179
Mercer	\$2,500,959	\$472,218	\$171,551	\$3,144,729
Miami	\$2,690,141	\$610,629	\$101,904	\$3,402,674
Monroe	\$995,459	\$32,488	\$199,197	\$1,227,145
Montgomery	\$7,659,230	\$3,351,700	\$208,348	\$11,219,278
Morgan	\$862,891	\$18,488	\$140,187	\$1,021,566
Morrow	\$1,415,785	\$49,875	\$128,236	\$1,593,896
Muskingum	\$2,671,674	\$264,288	\$274,023	\$3,209,985
Noble	\$838,832	\$34,707	\$171,760	\$1,045,298
Ottawa	\$1,333,887	\$109,336	\$118,194	\$1,561,416
Paulding	\$1,059,979	\$104,719	\$190,996	\$1,355,694
Perry	\$1,204,679	\$98,742	\$142,409	\$1,445,830
Pickaway	\$1,610,539	\$164,298	\$156,326	\$1,931,163
Pike	\$1,186,501	\$45,225	\$96,274	\$1,328,000
Portage	\$4,028,725	\$656,849	\$162,484	\$4,848,058
Preble	\$1,462,922	\$143,234	\$162,766	\$1,768,922
Putnam	\$1,515,016	\$182,175	\$236,046	\$1,933,236
Richland	\$2,543,799	\$553,798	\$222,268	\$3,319,866
Ross	\$2,100,812	\$195,720	\$194,296	\$2,490,829
Sandusky	\$1,715,734	\$288,064	\$172,114	\$2,175,913
Scioto	\$2,045,263	\$142,708	\$196,122	\$2,384,093
Seneca	\$1,827,285	\$236,073	\$239,318	\$2,302,676
Shelby	\$2,095,356	\$303,086	\$123,951	\$2,522,392
Stark	\$8,659,229	\$1,253,962	\$508,033	\$10,421,224
Summit	\$8,606,449	\$4,412,673	\$135,854	\$13,154,976
Trumbull	\$5,712,680	\$1,133,809	\$245,252	\$7,091,741
Tuscarawas	\$2,858,571	\$543,863	\$233,663	\$3,636,097
Union	\$2,138,704	\$220,887	\$63,991	\$2,423,581

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Van Wert	\$1,121,263	\$157,577	\$198,993	\$1,477,833
Vinton	\$727,923	\$22,651	\$122,871	\$873,444
Warren	\$4,201,839	\$791,019	\$225,780	\$5,218,637
Washington	\$2,256,235	\$186,445	\$321,019	\$2,763,699
Wayne	\$3,302,108	\$472,011	\$216,293	\$3,990,412
Williams	\$1,534,544	\$170,717	\$131,731	\$1,836,992
Wood	\$3,560,602	\$737,812	\$373,513	\$4,671,928
Wyandot	\$1,147,965	\$112,496	\$128,048	\$1,388,509
TOTAL	\$246,220,029	\$59,010,986	\$16,064,794	\$321,295,809

STATE MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE TAX DISTRIBUTION

State motor vehicle license tax is assessed on the vehicle classes listed in ORC sections 4503.04, 4503.042, and 4503.65 and at the rates specified therein. Vehicle classes subject to the tax include passenger cars, house vehicles/mopeds, motorcycles, house trailers/travel trailers, transit buses, non-commercial trucks, commercial trailers/semi-trailers, commercial trucks/tractors, non-commercial trailers, commercial buses, and farm trucks. The tax is collected throughout each month, and distributed to counties, municipalities and townships in the following month. Prior to making these distributions, two deductions and one addition are made to the base license tax amount. First, 42.6% of the tax for commercial vehicles weighing more than 26,000 pounds is transferred to the Highway Operating Fund. Second, a recurring monthly amount is paid to the State Bureau of Motor Vehicles Fund to cover administrative costs and Ohio Department of Taxation IRP audit costs. Finally, investment dividends posted to the fund are added, and the total is distributed to the local government entities as follows:

34% District:

34% of license revenue is distributed to the municipal corporation or county of registration

47% County:

47% of all license revenue collected is distributed to the county in which the resident resides

9% County Road Mileage:

9% of the total state license revenue collected is distributed to each county based on the ratio of each county's road mileage compared to the total number of county road miles in the state.

5% Township Road Mileage:

5% of the total state license revenue collected is distributed to each township based on the ratio of each township's road mileage compared to the total number of township road miles in the state.

5% Equal:

5% of the total state license revenue collected is distributed equally among all counties.

Illustration of license revenue breakdown for a passenger car registration of \$20.00

License Fee	34% Distributed to district of residence	47% Distributed to county	9% Distributed to all counties based on county road mileage	5% Distributed to all townships based on road mileage
\$20.00	\$6.80	\$9.40	\$1.80	\$1.00

Notes:

1. Ohio participates in the International Registration Plan (IRP) for commercial trucks. Commercial trucks based in Ohio and other states pay a prorated tax based on the ratio of the mileage traveled in Ohio to total mileage. The revenue depicted in the table includes IRP excess revenue.
2. For simplicity of presentation, gas tax, state license tax, and permissive motor vehicle license tax revenues for each county have been rounded to the nearest dollar. Due to rounding error, revenue distributions for each category of revenue may not equal the total distribution amount shown on the table.

Source: Department of Public Safety, Administration Division, Tax Distribution Section